GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5277
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EXPANSION OF HNL VELLOOR
RAMESH CHENNITHALA

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal for the expansion of Hindustan Newsprint Limited, Velloor, Kottayam, Kerala; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES

(DR. VALLABHBHAI KATHIRIA)

(a) & (b): There is no proposal at present for expansion of Hindustan Newsprint Limited (subsidiary of Hindustan Paper Corporation Ltd.). However, Hindustan Newsprint Limited has submitted a proposal to set up a 100 Tonnes Per Day (TPD) Deinking Plant at their existing mill at Newsprint Nagar, Kottayam District, Kerala at an estimated cost of Rs.52.20 crore.